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June 26, 1980

Ms. Sandra Zyrkowski  
Secretary, Political Section  
U.S. Embassy  
Buenos Aires, Argentina  
APO Miami, Florida 34034

ARGENTINA PROJECT (S200000044)

U.S. DEPT. OF STATE, A/RPS/IPS

Margaret P. Grafeld, Director

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Dear Ms. Zyrkowski:

I am writing on behalf of Mr. Osvaldo Paviolo who is currently being detained at La Plata Unidad #9 Prison in Argentina. For further reference regarding Mr. Paviolo's case, please refer to the letter from Ms. Pat Lamkie, dated July 27, 1979, and your response to Ms. Lamkie, dated August 10, 1979.

I would like to ask if your office could help Mr. Pavilo to obtain the Right of Option, which he has submitted as of March 25, 1980, with a visa to Italy. He has already been denied twice before. Is there any influence which the Embassy could assert on the Argentine government to grant him the Right of Option? Now is the crucial period in which the government decides upon his petition. Any assistance which you and/or your office can provide for Mr. Paviolo will be most appreciated.

Thank you very much for your attention into this matter and for any assistance which you may be able to provide. If you could respond in some way, I would appreciate it greatly.

Sincerely,

*Isabelle Miyata*  
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cc: Ambassador Castro

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